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BEFORE THE BOARD OF MILK CONTROL OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CLASS I PRICES

ISSUED IN REFERENCE TO SECTION 13 OF THE RULE 8.86.301

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Due to the latest data available as of January 5, 1995, as applied to the Distributor Formula (Docket #1-90, first price announcement effective 2/01/91) and the Producer Formula (Docket #69-84, first price announcement effective 7/01/84) the Producer Formula Index has been calculated to be 267.31. The Distributor Index has been calculated to be 312.15.

The following prices at the producer, on-the-farm wholesale and retail, institutional, jobber, wholesale, retail and warehouse levels have been determined from the following indexes. On-the-farm prices are applicable to only those producer-distributors whose milk is both produced and sold on-the-farm.

SECTION 1: MINIMUM PRODUCER CLASS I PRICE IN MONTANA

CLASS I PRICE TO BE PAID TO PRODUCERS AND OTHERS, MID-POINT AND DIFFERENTIAL:

EFFECTIVE February 1, 1995, the minimum price to be paid milk producers and others under ARM 8.86.301 will be \$14.53 per hundred pounds of milk testing 3.5% butterfat, f.o.b. the distributor's plant.

When milk does not test 3.5% butterfat, compute the applicable price by applying a differential of seven and one-half cents for each one-tenth of one percent butterfat above or below the midpoint to each producer payment. The value of one pound of butterfat utilized will be seventy-five cents (\$0.75).

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS

WHOLE MILK	- homogenized and/or pasteurized testing at least 3.25%
CHOCOLATE MILK	- testing not less than 3.25%
LOWFAT MILK	- testing not less than .5% nor more than 2%
CHOC LOWFAT MILK	- testing not less than .5% nor more than 2%
BUTTERMILK	- testing 2% or less
SKIM MILK	- testing less than .5%
CHOCOLATE DRINK	- testing less than .5%
HALF & HALF CREAM	- testing at least 10.5%
COMMERCIAL CREAM	- testing at least 18%
WHIPPING CREAM	- testing not less than 30%
SCHOOLS	- elementary and high schools

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SECTION 3 MINIMUM WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN MONTANA:

WHOLE MILK	FULL SERVICE WHOLESALE TO GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY GROCERY STORES (\$150 MINIMUM)	DOCK PICKUP GROCERY STORES (1000 GAL/WEEK)	REGULAR WHOLESALE PRICE	RETAIL PRICE
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.194	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.211	\$0.23
1/3 Quart	\$0.252	\$0.241	\$0.226	\$0.267	\$0.29
Pint	\$0.331	\$0.315	\$0.296	\$0.341	\$0.38
Quart	\$0.635	\$0.606	\$0.569	\$0.663	\$0.73
1/2 Gallon	\$1.253	\$1.195	\$1.123	\$1.311	\$1.44
3 Quart	\$1.880	\$1.793	\$1.685	\$1.963	\$2.16
Gallon	\$2.506	\$2.390	\$2.246	\$2.617	\$2.88
CHOCOLATE MILK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.181	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.209	\$0.199	\$0.187	\$0.221	\$0.24
1/3 Quart	\$0.296	\$0.282	\$0.265	\$0.309	\$0.34
Pint	\$0.357	\$0.340	\$0.320	\$0.376	\$0.41
Quart	\$0.679	\$0.647	\$0.608	\$0.713	\$0.78
1/2 Gallon	\$1.340	\$1.278	\$1.201	\$1.401	\$1.54
Gallon	\$2.671	\$2.548	\$2.395	\$2.787	\$3.07
LOWFAT MILK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.194	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.211	\$0.23
Pint	\$0.322	\$0.307	\$0.289	\$0.335	\$0.37
Quart	\$0.635	\$0.606	\$0.569	\$0.660	\$0.73
1/2 Gallon	\$1.244	\$1.187	\$1.115	\$1.297	\$1.43
3 Quart	\$1.866	\$1.780	\$1.673	\$1.948	\$2.15
Gallon	\$2.471	\$2.357	\$2.215	\$2.586	\$2.84
CHOCOLATE LOWFAT MILK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.203	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.209	\$0.199	\$0.187	\$0.221	\$0.24
Pint	\$0.348	\$0.332	\$0.312	\$0.367	\$0.40
Quart	\$0.679	\$0.647	\$0.608	\$0.713	\$0.78
1/2 Gallon	\$1.331	\$1.270	\$1.193	\$1.387	\$1.53
Gallon	\$2.636	\$2.515	\$2.363	\$2.757	\$3.03
BUTTERMILK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.204	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.210	\$0.23
Pint	\$0.322	\$0.307	\$0.289	\$0.334	\$0.37
Quart	\$0.635	\$0.606	\$0.569	\$0.666	\$0.73
1/2 Gallon	\$1.253	\$1.195	\$1.123	\$1.310	\$1.44
Gallon	\$2.506	\$2.390	\$2.246	\$2.615	\$2.88

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SECTION 3 MINIMUM WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES IN MONTANA:

SKIM MILK	FULL SERVICE WHOLESALE TO GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY GROCERY STORES (\$150 MINIMUM)	DOCK PICKUP GROCERY STORES (1000 GAL/WEEK)	REGULAR WHOLESALE PRICE	RETAIL PRICE
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.201	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.207	\$0.23
Quart	\$0.609	\$0.581	\$0.546	\$0.639	\$0.70
1/2 Gallon	\$1.209	\$1.154	\$1.084	\$1.266	\$1.39
Gallon	\$2.410	\$2.299	\$2.161	\$2.516	\$2.77
CHOCOLATE DRINK					
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.201	---
1/2 Pint	\$0.200	\$0.191	\$0.179	\$0.207	\$0.23
Quart	\$0.661	\$0.631	\$0.593	\$0.689	\$0.76
1/2 Gallon	\$1.288	\$1.228	\$1.154	\$1.344	\$1.48
Gallon	\$2.558	\$2.440	\$2.293	\$2.672	\$2.94
HALF AND HALF CREAM					
Pint	\$0.505	\$0.481	\$0.452	\$0.529	\$0.58
Quart	\$1.001	\$0.955	\$0.897	\$1.044	\$1.15
Gallon	---	---	---	\$4.296	---
COMMERCIAL CREAM					
Gallon	\$5.351	\$5.105	\$4.797	\$5.595	\$6.15
WHIPPING CREAM					
1/2 Pint	\$0.461	\$0.440	\$0.413	\$0.476	\$0.53
Pint	\$0.914	\$0.872	\$0.819	\$0.950	\$1.05
Quart	\$1.810	\$1.726	\$1.622	\$1.892	\$2.08
1/2 Gallon	---	---	---	\$3.713	---
Gallon	---	---	---	\$7.424	---

SECTION 4--PRODUCER-DISTRIBUTOR RETAIL PRICES IN MONTANA:

PRODUCT	1/2 GALLON	RAW	PASTEURIZED	RAW	PASTEURIZED
			1/2 GALLON	GALLON	GALLON
WHOLE MILK	\$0.83	\$0.94	\$1.66	\$1.88	
CHOCOLATE MILK	\$0.88	\$0.99	\$1.75	\$1.97	
LOWFAT MILK	\$0.81	\$0.92	\$1.61	\$1.83	
CHOCOLATE LOWFAT	\$0.86	\$0.97	\$1.70	\$1.92	
BUTTERMILK	---	\$0.91	---	\$1.82	
SKIM MILK	\$0.77	\$0.88	\$1.54	\$1.76	
CHOCOLATE DRINK	\$0.82	\$0.93	\$1.62	\$1.84	
COMMERCIAL CREAM	---	---	---	\$3.77	

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SECTION 5: MINIMUM PRICE THAT MUST BE CHARGED TO JOBBERS AND/OR INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS BY DISTRIBUTORS AND INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICES IN MONTANA

JOBBER PRICES AT:

WHOLE MILK	REGULAR WHOLESALE	FULL SERVICE GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY WHOLESALE	INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICE
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1422	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1517	\$0.1456	\$0.1406	\$0.1941
1/3 Quart	\$0.1943	\$0.1859	\$0.1798	\$0.2456
Pint	\$0.2583	\$0.2528	\$0.2439	\$0.3137
Quart	\$0.5061	\$0.4906	\$0.4744	\$0.6100
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0039	\$0.9717	\$0.9394	\$1.2061
3 Quart	\$1.5039	\$1.4578	\$1.4094	\$1.8060
Gallon	\$2.0050	\$1.9433	\$1.8788	\$2.4076
CHOCOLATE MILK				
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1350	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1573	\$0.1506	\$0.1450	\$0.2033
1/3 Quart	\$0.2176	\$0.2104	\$0.2026	\$0.2843
Pint	\$0.2778	\$0.2672	\$0.2578	\$0.3459
Quart	\$0.5339	\$0.5150	\$0.4972	\$0.6560
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0539	\$1.0200	\$0.9856	\$1.2889
Gallon	\$2.0996	\$2.0351	\$1.9667	\$2.5640
LOWFAT MILK				
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1404	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1498	\$0.1437	\$0.1387	\$0.1941
Pint	\$0.2513	\$0.2440	\$0.2357	\$0.3082
Quart	\$0.4970	\$0.4831	\$0.4670	\$0.6072
1/2 Gallon	\$0.9812	\$0.9517	\$0.9200	\$1.1932
3 Quart	\$1.4732	\$1.4276	\$1.3798	\$1.7922
Gallon	\$1.9579	\$1.8940	\$1.8306	\$2.3791
CHOCOLATE LOWFAT MILK				
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1454	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1554	\$0.1487	\$0.1432	\$0.2033
Pint	\$0.2691	\$0.2585	\$0.2496	\$0.3376
Quart	\$0.5264	\$0.5075	\$0.4898	\$0.6560
1/2 Gallon	\$1.0312	\$1.0001	\$0.9662	\$1.2760
Gallon	\$2.0530	\$1.9857	\$1.9184	\$2.5364
BUTTERMILK				
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1444	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1478	\$0.1422	\$0.1372	\$0.1932
Pint	\$0.2477	\$0.2410	\$0.2327	\$0.3073
Quart	\$0.4943	\$0.4771	\$0.4610	\$0.6127
1/2 Gallon	\$0.9764	\$0.9447	\$0.9125	\$1.2052
Gallon	\$1.9500	\$1.8894	\$1.8249	\$2.4058

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SECTION 5: MINIMUM PRICE THAT MUST BE CHARGED TO JOBBERS AND/OR INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS BY DISTRIBUTORS AND INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICES IN MONTANA

SKIM MILK	REGULAR WHOLESALE	FULL SERVICE GROCERY STORES	DROP DELIVERY WHOLESALE	INSTITUTIONAL BID PRICE
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1421	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1454	\$0.1415	\$0.1365	\$0.1904
Quart	\$0.4765	\$0.4598	\$0.4442	\$0.5879
1/2 Gallon	\$0.9462	\$0.9145	\$0.8840	\$1.1647
Gallon	\$1.8836	\$1.8246	\$1.7629	\$2.3147
CHOCOLATE DRINK				
1/2 Pint (schools)	\$0.1421	----	----	----
1/2 Pint	\$0.1454	\$0.1415	\$0.1365	\$0.1904
Quart	\$0.5043	\$0.4887	\$0.4720	\$0.6339
1/2 Gallon	\$0.9896	\$0.9585	\$0.9251	\$1.2365
Gallon	\$1.9703	\$1.9069	\$1.8413	\$2.4582
HALF AND HALF CREAM				
Pint	\$0.3883	\$0.3750	\$0.3617	\$0.4867
Quart	\$0.7689	\$0.7450	\$0.7194	\$0.9605
Gallon	\$3.1423	----	----	\$3.9523
COMMERCIAL CREAM				
Gallon	\$4.0471	\$3.9114	\$3.7747	\$5.1474
WHIPPING CREAM				
1/2 Pint	\$0.3442	\$0.3359	\$0.3242	\$0.4379
Pint	\$0.6874	\$0.6674	\$0.6440	\$0.8740
Quart	\$1.3703	\$1.3247	\$1.2780	\$1.7406
1/2 Gallon	\$2.7011	----	----	\$3.4160
Gallon	\$5.4011	----	----	\$6.8301

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